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**CORRELATION** 

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## RESPONSE UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.116

Sir:

This is in response to the Final Office Action dated May 30, 2007.

Reconsideration of the application is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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